

POSSIBLE MOTION

I MOVE TO reappoint Barbara Bingham to the Library Commission.



Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees, and Commissions
City and Borough of Sitka

Board/Commission/Committee: Sitka Public Library Commission
Name: Barbara Bingham Daytime Phone: 738-3557
Address: PO Box 6112 Sitka, AK Evening Phone: Same
Email Address: bbingham23@gmail.com Fax Number: 747-8349
Length of Residence in Sitka: 28 yrs Registered to vote in Sitka? ☒ Yes ☐ No
Employer: Fisherman's Quay, LLC 475A Katlian St
Organizations you belong to or participate in: Friends of the Library (Liason) ^{Commissionary}

Explain your main reason for applying:

See attached

What background, experience or credentials will you bring to the board, commission, or committee membership?

See attached

Please disclose any potential conflicts of interest that may arise from your appointment. These may include but are not limited to:

- A substantial financial interest of \$1000 annually that could be influenced by your appointment.
- An immediate family member employed within the scope of this appointment.

Please attach a letter of interest, outline, or resume which includes your education, work, and volunteer experience that will enhance your membership.

→ (To be considered, your application must be complete AND be accompanied by one of the above supporting documents.)

Date: Jan 12, 2016 Signature: Barbara Bingham

Your complete application and resume should be returned to the Municipal Clerk's Office by noon on the Wednesday prior to an advertised Assembly meeting.

Please note: all information submitted will be made public and published online. Appointments are normally made during open session of an Assembly meeting, however, Assembly members may vote to discuss applicant(s) in closed executive session. In this case, do you wish to be present when your application is discussed? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Return to:

Melissa Henshaw, Deputy Clerk/Records Specialist, 100 Lincoln Street
Fax: 907-747-7403 Email: melissa.henshaw@cityofsitka.org

January 12, 2016

Re: Application for re-appointment to the Sitka Public Library Commission for Barbara Bingham

Main reason for applying:

I fully support the purpose of libraries, in general, as a gateway to information, and wish to assist in furthering that goal at Sitka Public Library. Our current director, Robb Farmer, and his capable, tireless staff are doing an excellent job of maintaining and increasing library and educational services to the citizens of Sitka, in spite of the challenges of the transition into the new building, and I wish to work with the board to support them as well.

Background, experience and credentials:

I am a lifetime lover of reading and learning, and am a frequent patron of the library. I have completed three terms on the commission, and wish to continue my own service to this valuable community resource.

I served as board president of Baranof Arts and Crafts Assoc, now called Island Artists Gallery Cooperative, for three years, 2011-2014, and oversaw the organization's transformation and legal restructuring into the co-op now operating successfully, year round, on Lincoln St. I am currently serving a three-year term as treasurer for the business.

Thank you for considering this application.



LIBRARY COMMISSION

NAME	CONTACT NUMBERS	TERM STARTS	EXPIRES	CATEGORY
CURT LEDFORD Little Marshall Island PO Box 2114	738-2794 c curtledford@gmail.com	7/10/01 8/10/04 7/24/07 7/27/10 8/13/13	7/10/04 8/10/07 7/24/10 7/27/13 8/13/16	Chair
JANE EIDLER PO Box 1673	747-5354 h eidlerjee@yahoo.com	6/27/06 7/8/08 6/28/11 6/24/14	7/12/08 7/8/11 6/28/14 6/24/17	
DORIK MECHAU 209 Observatory St.	747-7671 h twojuncos@icloud.com	1/12/16	1/12/19	
BARBARA BINGHAM PO Box 6112	738-3557 c bbingham23@gmail.com	9/12/06 9/8/09 10/23/12	9/12/09 9/8/12 10/23/15	
ALICE JOHNSTONE 213 Shotgun Alley	747-3931 h johnstone@ak.net	7/22/03 7/11/06 7/14/09 7/24/12 7/14/15	7/22/06 7/11/09 7/14/12 7/24/15 7/14/18	
PJ FORD SLACK PO Box 6281	966-1906 w 738-0020 c fordpj@sitkaschools.org	8/27/10 11/9/10 11/12/13	11/13/10 11/9/13 11/12/16	
CINDY LITMAN 715 Sawmill Creek Rd	623-3969 cindylitman@gmail.com	3/26/13	3/26/16	
Benjamin Miyasato 405 B Degroff St.	752-0163 c assemblymiyasato@cityofsitka.org			Assembly Liaison
Elizabeth O'Donnell 214 Observatory	747-8014			Emeritus Member

7 Members from Public 3-year terms
 Established by Ordinance 72-50, Ord. 03-1730 added 2 more members
 First Wednesday of the Month, 7 p.m.

OATH OF OFFICE REQUIRED

Revised: January 18, 2016